

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

**Criminal Misc. No. M-14986 of 2015
Date of Decision: 16.07.2015**

Abbas

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA

1. *Whether reporters of local newspapers may be allowed to see judgment?*
2. *To be referred to reporters or not?*
3. *Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?*

Present:- Ms. Vandana Sharma, Advocate for
Ms. Monisha Lamba, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Kapil Aggarwal, Addl.A.G., Haryana.

HARI PAL VERMA J.(Oral)

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 438 CrPC is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.155 dated 1.7.2014 under Sections 376D, 506 IPC registered at Police Station Ferozepur Jhirka, District Mewat.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to order dated 8.5.2015 of this Court, the petitioner has joined investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Ms. Vineeta, does not dispute the aforesaid fact and states that the custodial interrogation of petitioner is not required at this stage.

In view of the aforesaid stand taken on behalf of the State, the present petition is allowed and the interim order dated 8.5.2015 passed by this Court is made absolute. However, the petitioner shall continue to join investigation as and when required to do so and shall abide by the terms and conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) CrPC.

It is made clear that nothing stated here-in-above shall be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case and the trial Court shall consider and decide the case on the basis of available evidence.

July 16, 2015
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(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE